# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 28 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 29 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 27 Oct 2020 at 17:05 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High confidence for unsettled conditions through the rest of the week.

**Headline for Wednesday 28 Oct 2020:** Frequent showers feeding in from the west.

**Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 28 Oct 2020**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
No Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Light rain showers (night) | Heavy rain showers (night) | Light rain showers (night) | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers (night) | Heavy rain showers (night) |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 70% | 60% | 60% | 40% | 70% | 40% | 40% | 80% |

**Forecast for Wednesday 28 Oct 2020**

**Weather:** Showers will start to feed in from the west during the early hours, these will be frequent and heavy at times throughout the day, with the chance of hail. The best chance of drier conditions will be in the far south during the morning.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** Low throughout the day.

**Visibility:** Generally moderate or poor, but good at lower levels in any drier interludes.

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**Forecast for Wednesday 28 Oct 2020**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 33/40 S | 34/43 SW | 36/45 SW | 35/44 SW | 35/45 SW | 32/42 SW | 32/41 SW | 32/41 SW | 33/43 SW |
| **900** | 24/31 SW | 24/32 SW | 26/36 SW | 25/34 SW | 25/34 SW | 24/33 SW | 24/33 SW | 23/33 SW | 25/36 SW |
| **600** | 33/39 S | 31/38 SW | 34/43 SW | 32/40 SW | 31/40 SW | 30/38 SW | 28/37 SW | 29/38 SW | 27/37 SW |
| **300** | 16/24 S | 15/23 S | 17/28 SW | 18/28 S | 20/31 SW | 16/26 SW | 15/25 SW | 16/26 SW | 15/24 SW |
| **Glen** | 10/22 SW | 10/22 SW | 12/25 SW | 13/27 SW | 13/27 SW | 11/23 SW | 11/24 SW | 11/23 SW | 11/25 SW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | -1/-9 | -0/-9 | -1/-9 | -1/-9 | -0/-9 | -0/-9 | -1/-9 | -0/-8 | -0/-8 |
| **900** | 1/-5 | 2/-5 | 2/-5 | 2/-5 | 2/-4 | 2/-4 | 2/-5 | 2/-4 | 2/-4 |
| **600** | 4/-3 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 4/-2 | 5/-1 |
| **300** | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 6/2 | 7/3 |
| **Glen** | 7/5 | 8/5 | 8/5 | 8/5 | 9/6 | 8/6 | 8/5 | 8/6 | 9/6 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1100m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1300m | 1200m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Feeling cold near summits in strong southwesterly winds.

**Forecast for Thursday 29 Oct 2020**
**Weather:** Showers clearing through the early hours to leave a dry start to the day, however patchy, light rain soon pushing up from the south. This turning heavier and more persistent into the evening.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly 35 mph.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** Low through most of the day, with extensive low cloud.

**Visibility:** Good at first, moderate or poor through the rest of the day.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 4 rising to plus 12 Celsius.
**At 800m:** Plus 3 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above summits.

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